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SUBJECT: INFORMAL VISIT BY MILITARY ATTACHE

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1. DEPARTMENT DOES NOT REPEAT NOT CONCUR IN SUGGESTED MESSAGE REFTEL. AS DAO COULD NOT HAVE ANY CONTACT WITH GRB OFFICIALS UNDER PRESENT POLICY RESTRICTIONS AND AS DAO WILL NEED TO VISIT NEW AMBASSADOR SOON AFTER HIS ARRIVAL TO MEET AND BRIEF, WE DO NOT SEE REASON FOR DAO VISIT AT THIS TIME. GRB WOULD KNOW OF VISIT BY USDAO EVEN IF INFORMAL ANY SUCH VISIT OTHER THAN FOR OBVIOUS PURPOSE OF MEETING NEW AMBASSADOR COULD PROVIDE VERY MISLEADING SIGNALS TO GRB AND BE POSSIBLE SOURCE OF EMBARRASSMENT CONCERNING US POLICY TOWARD BURUNDI.

2. YOU SHOULD SEND MSG ALONG ABOVE LINES TO KINSHASA FOR DAO INFO SECSTATE. IF NECESSARY WE WILL WEIGH IN IN SIMILAR VEIN. RUSH

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